CLEAN VERSION OF AMENDED CLAIMS



1. (Six Times Amended) A dewetting composition, consisting essentially of a solution of between 0.01 and 0.5% by weight of at least one surface-active agent in a mixture of at least one fluorinated solvent and from greater than about 1% to 30% by weight of at least one water-miscible polyfluorinated alcohol of formula:

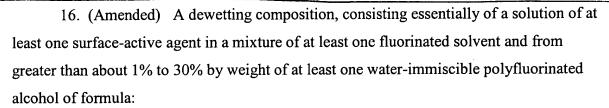
$$R_f - (CH_2)_n - OH$$
 (I)

in which n is equal to 1 or 2 and R_f represents a linear or branched perfluoroalkyl radical containing from 4 to 8 carbon atoms,

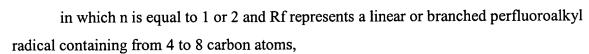
wherein said composition does not exhibit a flash point under standard determination conditions (ASTM standard D 3828) and wherein the fluorinated solvent is a saturated or unsaturated fluorinated hydrocarbon containing from 3 to 6 carbon atoms.



14. (Three Times Amended) The composition according to Claim 1, wherein the content of polyfluorinated alcohol(s) is from greater than about 1% to 5%.



$$R_f - (CH_2)_n - OH$$
 (I)



wherein the surface-active agent consists of a cationic surface-active agent obtained by reaction of a mono- or dialkyl phosphoric acid of formula:

$$(RO)_p(HO)_{2-p}PO_2H$$
 (II)



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in which p is a number ranging from 1 to 2 and R denotes a linear or branched alkyl radical containing from 1 to 18 carbon atoms, with a quaternary ammonium chloride of formula:

$$R'_2N^+R''_2Cl^-$$
 (III)

in which R' and R", which are identical or different, each represent a hydrogen atoms or an alkyl or hydroxyalkyl radical containing 1 to 4 carbon atoms, and a fluorinated amine of formula:

$$R_f - X - NR^1R^2$$
 (IV)

in which R_f represents a linear perfluoroalkyl radical containing from 2 to 20 carbon atoms, X represents a divalent bridge and the symbols R^1 and R^2 , which are identical or different, each represent a hydrogen atom or an alkyl or hydroxyalkyl radical containing 1 to 4 carbon atoms;

further wherein said composition does not exhibit a flash point under standard determination conditions (ASTM standard D 3828) and wherein the fluorinated solvent is a saturated or unsaturated fluorinated hydrocarbon containing from 3 to 6 carbon atoms.



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NEW CLAIMS

--17. The composition according to Claim 1, wherein the content of polyfluorinated alcohol(s) is from 2% to 30%.--

--18. The composition according to Claim 1, wherein the content of polyfluorinated alcohol(s) is from 2% to 5%.--

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